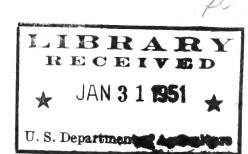
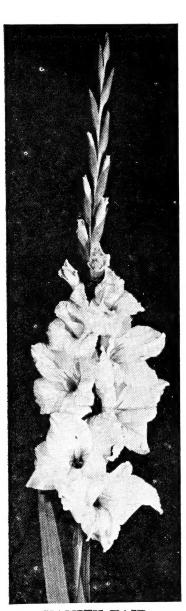
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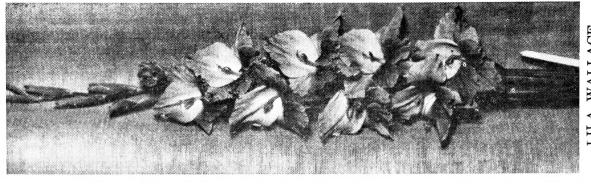
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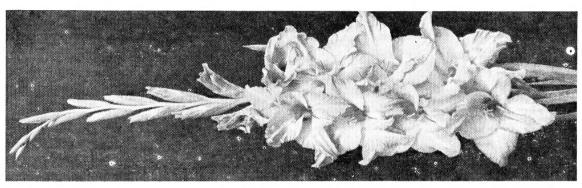
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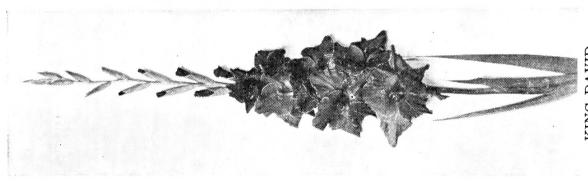
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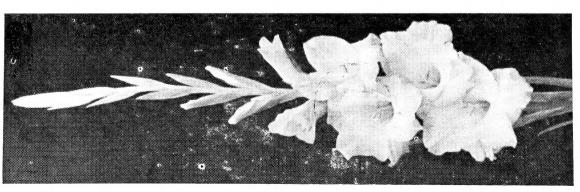








KING DAVID



KOKOMO GIANT

## GREETINGS and BEST WISHES --

HERE WE ARE again, with another growing season gone, glads all harvested, cured and ready to clean, and getting ready for a big shipping season. Right at this time, I want to thank all of you who ordered bulbs or bulblets from me this past season, and I hope they grew well, and performed well for you, so that I will hear from you again this season.

Contrary to 1949, this year of 1950 was entirely different. After a long wet mild winter, spring dragged along much later than usual and we did not get any glads planted until about the first week in May. It did not actually warm up until almost Decoration Day, and so we were almost 3 weeks later than usual.

In my private Trail Garden, I gre wsomething more than 400 of the recent, and 1950 introductions, along with over 100 seedlings which were sent in for trial. In this way, and by growing them right alongside of the older proven varieties, can we determine the true value of these new things. Some leeway must be given to those varieties, which come from distant points, for most growers will agree that climatic conditions have a varying effect on the performance of a glad.

I keep a large notebook at hand, and each morning from the time the glads start to bloom, I walk through the garden, and evaluate every new and recent variety as it blooms. Sometimes the first spike does not come up to expectations, but the second spike may prove the variety to be up to its advertised merits. It usually requires two seasons of growing in your own soil, to properly evaluate a glad, which has come from some distance, and so we do not condemn them the first season, and neither should anyone else. Just remember that even if you were moved from your present location, to a point 500 miles distant, you too, might not adjust yourself to your usual standard, for at least 3 or 4 months.

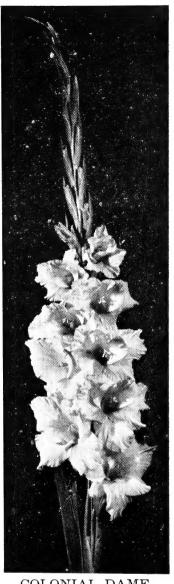
As advertised, here is a running account of my experience with the new and recent introductions, as they performed for me, under ordinary field conditions, just good agriculture, no special treatment, and only top-dressed once, with a 4-12-8 commercial fertilizer, which was broadcast over the entire field, and not side dressed.

With spring weather prevailing throughout the winter months, loads of rain, floods, etc., and continued cold weather, planting did not get under way, until May 3rd. We normally get started to plant in early April. However, even with the late cool spring, the first spikes were cut on July 7th, which after all was only about a week later than usual. Rhett Eutler, Hunress, Gold Dust, first to bloom, with Concord, Ethel Cave Cole, Snow Princess, and Blue Beauty following them closely. Just how any commercial cut-flower grower can afford to be without Rhett Butler amazes me, for it is always FIRST. Always straight, always good, opens well in water, tall, clean, brilliant scarlet, that the florists all love, makes it the finest early commercial in commerce.

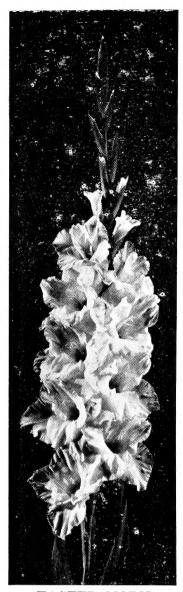
The usual surprises are of course occuring. Citation, (supposed to be a 90-day glad) has two spikes with 8 open, and they are tall, straight and beautiful. Florence Nightingale, the wonder white that will eventually replace every other commercial white, all in spike, and will come in with Snow Princess. If you are not growing Forence in quantity, you are missing the greatest white that has been introduced to date. Gaylore, another marvellous workhorse, is in spike., 66 days from planting, and here is another glad that every commercial grower should have.

Firmament is in spike and looks like it would replace Blue Beauty because it appears to be perfectly healthy and somewhat taller and earlier.

Here are some proven varieties which I honesty believe you should have if you are growing for the cut-flower market. I have dozens of testimonials from growers in all sections of this country and Canada who are growing these varieties in quantities and swear by them. Most of them are good exhibition flowers too, but they serve as commercials perfectly.







EASTER MORN

WHITES: It is Florence Nightingale first, last and all the time among the popular priced whites. Whether it is Florida, California, Maine or Washington it does well and is now priced within reach of all. WHITE GODDESS and WHITE CHRISTMAS are good. VIOLET DICKENSON is the finest basket glad we have, and the newer ANGELA LYNN and EASTER MORN will be heard from in many show reports. Several 1951 introductions are definitely improvements. SIERRA SNOW is the tallest and will hold the most open. The new EVENING STAR is one of the most beautiful WHITE STAR, is apparently the earliest, for it came into flower in 60 days flat. A swell white too.

YELLOWS: This class is coming up rapidly, and we saw more good Yellows in the shows and in the hybridizer's gardens this season than ever before. However, for the commercial grower, I don't know how you can beat such Yellows as SPOTLIGHT, YANGTZE, GOLDEN ARROW and the new ROBERT ALAN and CYNTHIA. One of the recent and good early Yellows which looks better every season is the much discussed WORLDBEATER which comes very well for us and is now available in sufficient quantities to give it a good trial. The 1951 introduction GOLD is more gold than yellow, but has the finest color of anything in its class and is a marked advance in this color. Among the little felows, YELLOWBIRD and the 1951 introduction YELLOW SEA are the finest.

ROSE PINKS: The newer JUNE ROSE will top everything for an earlier rose commercial. Strong, wonderful color and will eventually be the early rose glad grown by everyone. DARLA is perhaps eariest and a rea cutter. HUNTRESS is good from medium corms, NOWETA ROSE will really give you a thrill, and of course old dependable BURMA still wins champion spikes regardless of its vintage. The new LILA WALLACE while small is one of the most marvelous colors I have ever seen with its sheer, velvety deep rose color, it's a "must hav". AMERICAN BEAUTY which has been overlooked by some is still one of the finest. HI HO, really a rosey salmon, but should come in here, is excellent. MISS CHICAGO a very beautiful and healthy glad.

LAVENDERS: Lavenders or Mauves as they are called in Canada are improved tremendously. No commercial list would be complete—without ELIZABETH THE QUEEN, ABIGAIL a good one, the newer LAVENDER LACE looks very good, FALCON and MADELINE HEAVTY are excellent, while the newer BRIDAL ORCHID will eventually be grown by everyone, from the hybridizer who created SPIC AND SPAN it is bound to become just as popular. The new VALDA a huge, deeper lavender than ELIZABETH THE QUEEN with better stretch and MARTHA WASHINGTON a heavily ruffled lavender with creamy throat are extra good. COLONIAL DAME still winning on the show tables and has one of the longest flowerheads while MYRTLE GRACE is perhaps the earliest. FALCON an excellent glad you will love.

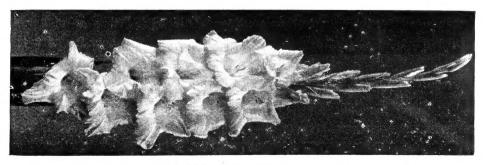
ORANGES: MARGARET JEAN won division championships all over the country and is still perhaps one of the best. The new PEACH GLOW while having some buff in it is heavily ruffled and a definite improvement in this color. The older LAKESIDE orange is still fine, and you just have to have DAISY MAE for its huge size and dependability. TASCO a new comer looks like a real orange. ENCORE, while showing some scarlet is basically an orange, and a completely dependable cutter, and show glad.

BLUES: Still a bit weak with BLUE BEAUTY leading the pack followed closely by RAVEL, FIRMAMENT, GREAT LAKES, BLUE LAGOON, the new BLUE BARON is definitely an improvement and being early will replace most of them when better known.

SMOKIES: STORMY WEATHER has won several grand champions this year, OPEACHEE is one of the best of the newer introductions. If you are looking for a good dependable Smokey in the low price field, SANDMAN is pretty hard to beat.

PURPLES: This class is definitely weak with PURPLE SUPREME probably the best known, but among the newer ones ROYAL ROBES and ALJECHIN look good and do not peel. They seem to stand handling much better than some of the others. The new KING DAVID appears to be the purple we have been looking for. It's performance has been grand, it's show record spectacular and coming from the introducer of SPIC & SPAN, it has to be good.

BUFFS: SUNSPOT still leads the parade and is too well known to describe. WILMA DITTMAN is an excellent commercial, IVY is one of the best, PACTOLUS outdid itself this year. The new PEACH GLOW, while leaning toward the orange side, is a knockout.



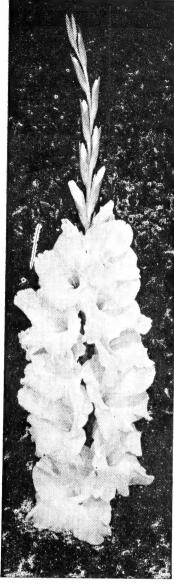
DREAM CASTLE

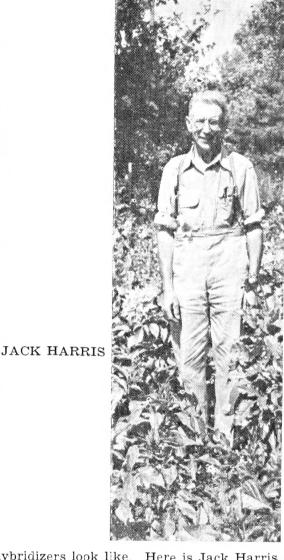
REDS: This is a big class, but there are really only a few that can be classed as good commercial dependable performers each and every season. I am including Scarlets in this class. RHETT BUTLER is the finest early scarlet in commercials, and I am getting wonderful reports on its performance all over the country and also in Australia. It is now cheap enough for everyone to grow, and when that first spike opens you will get a thrill from its brilliant color. RED CHERRY is good, NANCY always dependable. RED CHARM grown by the thousands is still able to compete with the best of them and wins it share of ribbons on the show table. NINETY GRAND is a dependable performer and you will like its straight spikes and 100% cutting ability. DIEPPE is the finest midseason scarlet and should be grown by the millions. The new ROYAL FLUSH is a marked advance in this color, and when cheaper will be grown by everyone. I have some rather startling red seedlings coming on that are heavily ruffled and needle pointd, on of which to be introduced in 1952. MANDRIN, a tomato red, is a new color break, and very beautiful. RED WING, always dependable.

PINKS: I am not including rose pinks because they are a large class in themselves. I am however, including the Salmons. SPIC AND SPAN one of the finest ever introduced, JINI MARIE another good commercial, GAYLORE as dependable as any I know of, CITATION for those who want them 72" tall, FRIENDSHIP one of the dantiest, and the new DOROTHY MARGARET is out of this world. PINK SATIN another beautiful glad, DOLLY VARDEN and FRAZER are big, tall and open eight easily. GRACE DARLING will win your heart and grow in dry sand and still perform. SUPREME BEAUTY will certainly rate among the top twenty-five or thirty, COMPLEXION another fine glad, the new VANITY FAIR is a milestone in blush pinks. BONNIE BRAE a 1951 introduction one of the best, ANNE SHERMAN from Ted Woods surely rates near the top. The new HONEYDEW and PRAIRIE SUNSET are good exhibitions and you will like them both. DREAM CASTLE, certainly one of the top 25 glads in commerce, and one you will eventually grow. GIANT, a giant indeed, grows 72" easily, with 7½" florets, that hold up. MADISON is grand, a connisseurs glad. Earliest pink, coming in with RHETT BUTLER, and a humdinger for the early market, is PHIPPS JR. It will really make money for the early market. The new VANITY FAIR, is an exquisite blush pink you cannot overlook.



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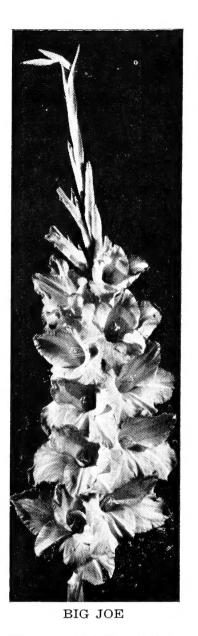
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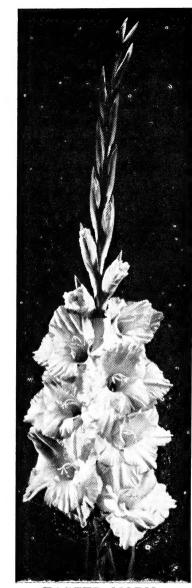
Thought you would like to see what these hybridizers look like. Here is Jack Harris, in his garden. "Smiling Jack" has some wonderful glads to his credit. Here are 3 for '51 SIERRA SNOW: A billowing white, of marvellous texture, grows 66" easily, with 30" flowerhead, opens 12, with 10 in color, 22 to 24 buds, heavy ruffling, and placement. Was runnerup for A.H.A. Medal at Madison after several hours on plane trip on hot day. Best seedling out of 197 seedlings shown at Niagara Peninsula Show, St. Catherines, Ont., and many other Special Awards. Tops Florence Nightingale by the same hybridizer, and that is something.

**PEACH GLOW:** A large buffy orange, with wide open well rounded florets, ruffled, very heavy texture, 19 to 21 buds 62" tall with 28" flowerhead, opens 8, with 8 in color. Winner of many special awards, in Canada and USA, and a most unusual, useful, and beautiful glad.

VANITY FAIR: A blush pink, with buff overlay, and with small cerise throat lines. Leathery texture, heavily ruffled, and needle pointed petals grows 60" easily, with 30" flowerhead, opens 8 with 8 in color, American Home Achievement Medal winner at Detroit, and several seedling awards during 1950. One of the most beautiful glads you ever saw.

For 3 such marvellous glads, this price will amaze you: \$2.00 each for any size corm, with bulblets at 35c each, or 3 for \$1.00, sold only with the purchase of at least one corm.





EASTER MORN

SURPRISE PREMIUM CORM: Anyone purchasing all 3 of the Harris introductions, will receive free of charge, 1 corm of his marvellous new yellow glad, FORSYTHIA, as a premium bulb. This wonderful new yellow, was the finest yellow in my patch, and won several awards this past season. It will be introduced in 1952, at not less than \$2.00 per corm. It is ruffled, fluted,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " floret, grows 55" tall, with 20 buds, 8 open and 8 in color, perfectly beautiful for exhibition or commercial. One of the great yellows of all time, for you to grow, one year ahead of it's introduction.

Many buyers have expressed a desire to know the former originations of these hybridizers. Here is a list, in the order of their introduction, from 1950, back to about 1927. All are listed, with prices in the Recent Introductions, so will not attempt to describe or price them here. STERLING, DOLLY VARDEN, FRASER, DAYBREAK, in 1950. GRACE DARLING in 1949. FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE in 1947. GAYLORE, ARCTIC SNOW, HOSTESS, YANGTZE. Most of them are still in commerce proving their real value.



PERCY BARRETT

Here is a much better picture of PERCY BARRETT, with a real smile, standing beside a future introduction, so good, he is really grinning. He has some great glads to his credit, and here are 6 for 1951:

VALDA: A huge, rosey lavender, more rose than lavender, 5½" floret grows 58", with 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, opens 8 with 8 in color, heavily ruffled and needle pointed petals. A stretchy Eliz. The Queen, on the rose side. One of his masterpieces.

**EVENING STAR:** This is without a doubt the most heavily ruffled white glad, pure white, texture like leather, grows 60" with 28" flowerhead, 6½" floret, opens 8, with 8 in color. Just examine that ruffling in the picture. You wonder how those buds will open but they do.

Above two, any size at \$5.00 per corm, bulblets 50c each, with purchase of corm. Not over 10 bbts. with each corm.

MARTHA WASHINGTON: A heavily ruffled lavender with cream throat, very colonial lavender, grows 55" tall, 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, 5½" floret, 8 open, 8 in color. A real exhibition, or commercial.

RED GLEAM: A heavily ruffled BEACON, scarlet with yellow throat, that is healthy, and remember how we all loved Beacon but it was not healthy, and many of us discarded it. This one is tough, in fact the thrip will not touch it for some reason or other. Grows 56", with 28" flowerhead 5½" floret, opens 8, with 8 in color.

**HONEY DEW:** A most unusual flesh pink, with greenish cream throat, almost chartreuse, ruffled and needle pointed petals  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " floret, 22 buds, 7 open 7 in color, grows 566" tall with great substance, vigor and lasting qualities.

**PRAIRIE SUNSET:** A huge salmon, with deeper throat, on which are some small geranium throat marks, with 66½" florets, heavily ruffled, grows 60", with 30" flowerhead, 22 buds, opens 8 with 8 in color. A candidate for Champion Spike in any show.

Above 4 introductions popularly priced at L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. at 25c each, with the purchase of one corm.

Former introductions of Percy Barrett are as follows: for 1950 ROYAL FLUSH (his most outstanding), ANGELA LYNN, EASTER MORN, PINK SATIN, DOROTHY MARGARET, for 1949 and earlier: AMERICAN BEAUTY, CHARLOTTE RUSSE, COLONIAL DAME, IVY, JINI MARIE, LEADING LIGHT MYRTLE GRACE, PEGGY FARRELL, SKYROCKET, STORMY WEATHER, STRATOSPHERE VIOLET DICKINSON, IVY ROBERTSON, LOVELY LADY, MARGARET BARRETT, and others. Here is one from that super-duper glad grower, who raises prize winning cattle, ducks, rabbits, and is always sweepstakes winner at several glad shows, my good friend SYDNEY MODE, of VANKLEEK HILL, ONTARIO:

BONNIE BRAE: A blush salmon pink, deeper at edges, lightening toward the throat. A perfectly dainty, and beautiful color in a real commercial glad, that grows 56" tall, with 26" flowerhead, 4½" floret, opens 8 that will keep in any kind of weather. Champion seedling at Hawksbury Show, and has won scads of prizes in Montreal and other Canadian Shows for the past 3 years.

FROM TED JEFFRIES, neighbor of Percy Barrett:

**REGAL SPLENDOUR:** A grand light purple, with some red in it, that does not bruise, burn. Grows 56", with 26" flowerhead, 22 buds, 8 open, 8 in color. A grand addition to a weak color class, in a glad that makes a wonderful commercial, or exhibition. Has won several seedling awards.

Above two, at L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. 25c each with the purchase of one corm.

FROM TED WOODS: See that picture of Ted and I, in good spirits, talking over some new seedlings, and you will know that this fellow is an alright guy, as they say, and has been producing some wonderful new things, which I am proud to cointroduce.

- ANNE SHERMAN: A lovely shade of clear shell pink, with raised white midrib. Heavily fluted and ruffled, and the substance is like leather. I believe a single floret would last for days out of water. It's 5½" florets, 22 of them, on a tall, willowy spike growing 60" tall, have perfect placement and facing.
- MISS MADISON: A large formal type, pale pink, shading to stronger pink at the edges, with a raised white midrib. Grows 60" in the field, with a 30" flowerhead.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " floret with 22 buds, one of Ted's finest.
- MANDRIN: A tomato red self, with deeper red marking in the lower lip. 56" tall, with a 26" flowerhead, on a straight willowy stem, with 22 buds, heavily ruffled, and recurving. A new color break.
- **BLUE BARON:** A new innovation in a very early blue. Straight spike grows about 45", with 23" flowerhead, 20 buds, slightly ruffled, opens 6, with 6 in color, has fine placement, and excellent lasting qualities. It blooms in about 65 to 70 days, which makes it an ideal commercial, especially in blue.

All 4 above introductions, any size corm \$5.00. With each corm purchased, you may have 10 bbts. for an additional \$5.00.

FROM COSMOPOLITAN GLAD GARDENS: Carlson's latest and finest.

KING DAVID: A royal, regal purple, of excellent form, texture, and ruffling, in just about the richest color you ever looked at. Winged, ruffled, fluted, it's satin-like 5½" florets, have pronounced picotee edging. Grows 60", with 28" flowerhead, with 22-24 buds, 10 open, 10 in color. Has won one A.H.A. Medal, and many awards all over the country. Will be as widely grown as SPIC & SPAN, from the same originator. ANY SIZE CORM \$5.00-1 CORM & 10 Bbts \$10.00

#### FROM C. C. MARSHALL:

GOLD: That name describes it perfectly. You may call it yellow but it leans more to chartreuse, and is just the color of gold. A fine big, wide open floret,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " heavily ruffled, grows about 55", with a 28" flowerhead. Extremely heavy texture, and one you will be hearing a lot about. Has a record of winnings, as long as your arm. Easily the finest yellow to date.

#### FROM GEORGE WASHBURN:

KOKOMO GIANT: A huge pink, similar to Tivoli in color, but with a 7½" floret, growing 72" easily, with 22 to 26 buds, opens 7 with 7 in color. One of those easy growers, that will make a hit with the amateur, as well as the commercial man. The texture is excellent, and growth is rampant. Any size corm \$3.00. You may have 10 bbts. with each corm, at an additional \$2.00.

YELLOW SEA: We have had many good yellow miniatures, since YELLOWBIRD, but here is one that is ruffled, early, opens 6 grows about 46", makes a good commercial, and one of the finest show flowers you ever grew. Any size corm \$1.00 and with each corm purchased, you may have 10 bbts. for an additional \$1.50.

#### FROM J. J. MAREK:

WHITE STAR: A real early commercial white, of great health, and wonderful growth, lightly fringed and recurved, with star pointed florets. Grows 48" with a 24" flowerhead, 20 buds opens 6 with 6 in color. Resistant to rain and heat. L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, 10 bbts. with each bulb at \$2.00 additional. Growers unit, 4 L, 4 M, 4 S and 50 bbts, for \$25.00.

#### FROM NINAH WARD: A Lee Fairchild creation:

LILA WALLACE: The Cinderella Glad. A perfectly gorgeous color in a velvety cerise, that makes you stop, look and listen. You will be reminded of Cinderella, when this gorgeous gal steps out in your garden in her lovely gown, having no fear of the carriage turning back into a pumpkin, or the horses into rats. Open 8 on an 18 bud spike, in a 300 size, that has beaten many in the 500 class. A very limited stock, and first come first served. Any size corm \$2.50, 25 mixed sizes at \$60.00. No bulblets this season.

#### FROM PAUL PLETCHER:

ROSY FUTURE: Here is another brand new color break, in a medium velvety rose, of sheer lovliness, about the color of Revlon Nail Polish. Grows 48" to 50", with a 27" flowerhead, 29 buds, opens 6 with 6 in color, and one of the most beautiful glads I have ever seen. Florets average between 4½ and 5", plain petalled, strong attachment, marvelous commercial and one of the topnotch glads of the year. Has a fine show record in Indiana. Any size corm \$2.00, and with each corm you may have 10 bbts. at 25c each. Grower Units 2M, 2S and 20 bbts. for \$7.00, or 2L, 3M and 5S, with 80 bbts. for \$25.00.

#### FROM PROF. FOREMAN MCLEAN:

ARABY: Our first really fragrant glad, in a smokey old rose with cream throat. Brings to mind the spicy fragrance of Persia, and smelling it makes you think of Cleopatra and the Lotus. A small glad, in the 300 size, but a very fine glad, besides being fragrant. Only 9 to 12 buds, 3 to 4 open at one time, but perhaps the forerunner of an entirely new race of glads. Any size \$10.00, and for you hybridizers, this is cheap.

#### FROM MR. DALE:

NOVELTY QUEEN: Our first really fine glad in the double dragon type. Spurred like a columbine, with ruffles, and flounces, like a gay lady of the gay nineties, stepping out in her salmon gown, a most beautiful and useful glad, that will interest hybridizers, and amateurs alike. You will thrill to it's opening, and when fully opened, like the chap when he first saw a giraff, you will say, "There ain't no such animal". Any size corm \$10.00. First come, first served.

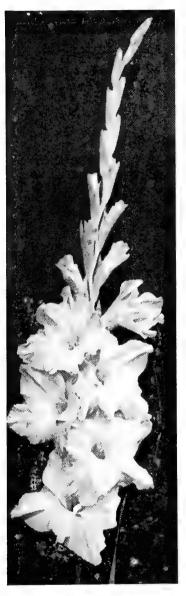
#### FROM CHARLES EVERETT:

GOLD THROAT: A glorified Burma, with a clear golden throat. I have grown this glad for 3 years, and have pestered the originator to introduce it, for my florists love it. Grows 55", with a 28" flowerhead, with 5" wide open florets, averaging 5". Extremely healthy, excellent propagator, A.H.A. Medal Winner, one of the finest for either exhibition or commercial. \$2.00 for any size corm, and with each corm purchased you may have 10 bbts. For \$2.00 extra.

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FROM TOM ROGERS, a third generation hybridizer:

TASCO: A brilliant, glowing orange, like the color of the live embers of a coal fire, with a cream blotch. Named for a famous Mexican painter, who glories in those brilliant orangy red colors, so dear to the Latin American heart. Grows 58", with 20 to 22 buds, 8 open 8 in color, 520 Class. One of the real standouts in the years discoveries. \$10.00 each for any size corm and with each corm purchased, you may have 10 selected bulblets for \$5.00 extra.





ANNE SHERMAN

"ME" and MISS MADISON

Please don't think I have included all of the standouts. All I have listed, are fine, and very much worthwhile. These listed above seem somehow to stand out in my mind. If I attempted to tell you all about all the good ones I grew this season, it would take a complete catalogue, ten times larger than this, and very few of you would read it. I hope I have given you some highlights, that will serve as a guide, in making up your choice, for your 1951 order. Write me any time, for further information, and I am always happy and willing to give you my experience, with any glad I have ever grown.

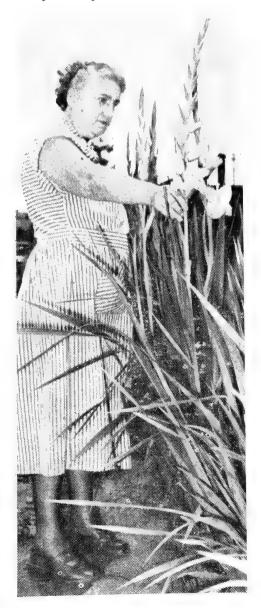
#### FROM CHAMPLAIN VIEW GARDENS:

MARATHON: A beautiful clean clear yellow, which should have been named "Elmer's Delight". Grows 72" tall, with 18-22 buds, well placed, formal, 5" floret, opens 6-7, and will open from tight bud, right to the tip. The greatest yellow commercial for the cut-flower trade ever introduced. I have not seen this one, but when Elmer Gove says it is TOPS, that is good enough for me. Any size corm \$2.00 each, and you may have 1 corm and 10 selected bulblets for \$5.00. Growers Units 10L, 10M, 10S and 300 bbts. for \$125.00.

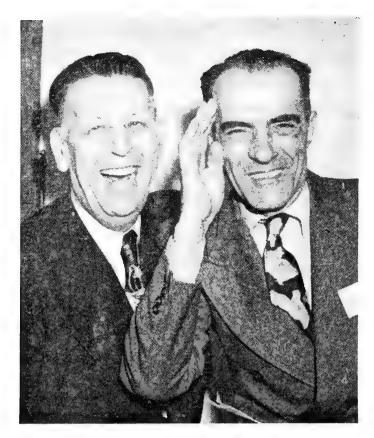
FROM CHAS. A. EVERETT, Courtesy Champlain View Gardens:

HARRIET: One of the classiest purples in the business. Simply beautiful, lively, deep clear purple, ruffled and waved, in the 300 class, grows 54", with a 27" flowerhead, opens 7-8 4" blooms, and is without a doubt the best in it's size and color. Has won numerous awards, and has scored all the way from 85 to 89½. This glad is easily worth \$5.00, but the price will be \$2.00 each, for any size corm, and with each corm purchased you may have 10 bbts. for \$3.00.

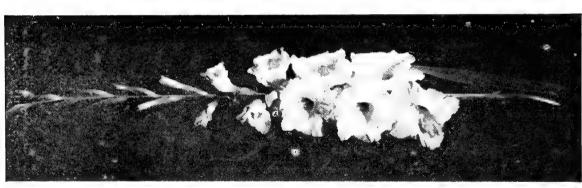
FAN: A fine lively rose, with the mid-rib having a ¼" stripe of a deeper rose or cerise. It has a smaller deeper rose blotch in the throat. The mid-rib stripe sets this variety apart as being entirely distinctive, and very attractive. 60" tall, with 28" flowerhead, opens 6-7, 5" florets. A growin' fool if there ever was one. Any size corm \$2.00 and with each corm purchased you may have 10 bbts for \$2.00 additional.



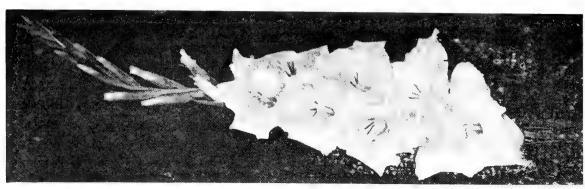
MRS. WASHBURN and KOKOMO GIANT



YOURS TRULY and TED WOODS



KATHY LEE



FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE

HERE IS A LIST OF RECENT INTRODUCTIONS, WHICH HAVE PROVEN MERIT AND WHICH MANY OF YOU WILL WANT TO LOOK OVER, RATHER THAN HAVE THEM INCLUDED IN THE GENERAL LIST. YOU WILL NOTE THAT THESE INCLUDE THE 1950 INTRODUCTIONS.

AMELIA: A beautiful medium pink, ruffled, fluted, with throat. One of last year's highlights.

L. \$2.00, M. \$1.25, S. \$1.00, bbts. 20c each.

AMERICAN BEAUTY: A fine rose, several shades deeper than Miss Wisconsin, heavily ruffled.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10c each

ADONIS: Ted Woods beautiful white.

L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts, 20c.

ADORABLE: A blush pink with cream throat, very beautiful.

L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.00, bbts. 25c.

ARIA: Kuhn's fine salmon miniature, winner wherever shown.

L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. 75c, bbts, 20c each.

**BLUE LAGOON:** A really fine new blue, from Geo. Snyder. Looks like a good commercial too.

L. 35c, M. 20c, S. 2 for 30c.

BIG JOE: Last year's sensational winner. A huge fireman's red, that can win Champion spike easily.

Any size corm \$3.00, bbts. 30c each.

BONFIRE: As red as a bonfire, good big exhibition, a flame in the garden.

L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 4 for 25c.

EOISE BELLE: One of the best in it's class, a fine ruffled salmon with silvery edge, opens 12 easily.

L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 2 for 20c.

BRIDAL ORCHID: One of the top-notchers introduced in 1950, has won numerous championship spikes, a really great lavendar and one you will eventually buy.

L. \$3.00, M. \$2.50, S. \$2.00, bbts. 90c each.

BROWN EYES: Andy Maier's fine yellow, with brown throat darts.

L. \$2.50, M. \$1.59, S. \$1.00, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.

CAPTAIN KIDD: A great medium dark red, from Win. Roberts, and one of the best in it's class.

L. \$3.00, M. \$2.50, S. \$1.50, bbts. 25c each.

CHARLOTTE RUSSE: A perfectly beautiful soft cream, with throat, and several times winner as division champ.

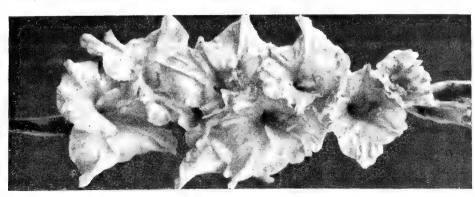
L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 59c, bbts. 10c each.

**CHINOOK:** Rev. Lines huge salmon, that still knockes them for a loop to win Grand Champ.

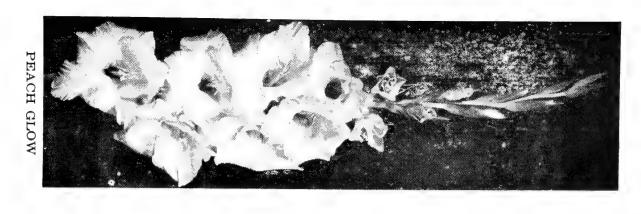
L. \$2.50, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.50, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.

CITATION: Perhaps the tallest pink in existence. Will grow 72" easily, strong, stands upright, even in wind, and a fine clean pink, with cream throat.

L. \$1.50 M. \$1.00, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for \$1.50.



- CLEO: A swell buff and cream combination, very dainty and very chic.
  - L. 75c, M. 50c, S. 25c, bbts. 20 for \$1.00.
- COLONIAL DAME: A fine ruffled and frilled lavender with deeper throat, that is really lavender. Has beaten some of the finest on the show table this past season. L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10c each.
- COMPLEXION: John Bastian's beautiful shell pink, a perfect commercial and exhibition.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00.
- **CONNIE** G.: Ted Woods masterpiece in cream. Very heavily ruffled cream, the standard by which all cream glads are judged.
  - L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.00.
- CYNTHIA: Doc Graff's beautiful early lemon yellow, that looks like a coming commercial in the garden. You early cut flower growers cannot do without it. Beautiful in every way.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 10 for 50c.. Grower units at \$5.00 for 10 M and 100 bbts.
- **DAYBREAK:** Jack Harris' fine cream, with throat marks, which won several championships this past season. Tall straight delicate. A most unusual color.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.25, S. 75c, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.. Grower Units at \$5.00 for 5M and 15 bbts.
- **DEBUTANTE:** A fine deep yellow, of good substance and texture.
  - L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, and S. 4 for 25c.
- DIADEM: A glorified Oregon Rose that grows good.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts, at 15 for \$1.00.
- **DIAMOND LIL:** Ted Woods fine yellow, commercial or exhibition.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. 25c each.
- **DOLLY VARDEN:** A huge salmon, with wide white throat, that grows 66" opens a 6½" floret, fine for exhibition or commercial.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.25, S. \$1.00, bbts. 20c each.
- **DOROTHY MARGARET:** A fine ruffled and needle pointed petal pink, with cream throat. Grows 60", fine texture, and a good commercial or exhibition.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. 20c each.
- **DREAM CASTLE:** Warm coral pink, blending to light cream throat. A perfectly beautiful creation, which has not been grown widely enough to be appreciated.
  - L. 25c, M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. 10 for 25c.
- **DUCHESS:** A light creamy salmon, with yellow throat, on which is placed a small scarlet strip. A grand commercial or basket glad.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. 10 for \$2.00.
- EASTER MORN: A glistening white, as pure as the driven snow.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. at 10 for \$1.50.
- ENCHANTMENT: A nice salmon, with cream throat.
  - L. 30c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 10 for 25c.
- ENCORE: A fine scarlet orange, ruffled, and the best lasting glad I grow. It can stand for hours out of water, and not show any wilt. A new and vivid color.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 10 for 50c. Grower Units 10M and 100 bbts. for \$5.00.
- ESQUIRE: A brilliant red, that lights up the entire garden.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25e.
- **EVANGELINE:** A tall, blush pink, grows 72", on good stalks, in a beautiful, ruffled color. One of the top 25 glads.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. at 15 for \$1.00.
- EVENGLOW: Ruffled red, petals edged red orange, shading to light salmon, inner throat, clear yellow lip. Very nice.
  - L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c. Bbts. 100 for \$2.00.







TREASURE

- **FALCON:** A grand lavender. Petals are rolled, recurved, ruffled and needle pointed. A fine creation from that master painter Ted Woods.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. 25c.
- FIRAMENT: A new early blue from Holland, which looks like an improvement over Blue Beauty. Much earlier and somewhat better color.
  - L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c, bbts. at 100 for \$2.00.
- FIELDMASTER: Another fine Ted Woods creation, beautiful clear cameo pink, with heavy midribs and a yellow lip. Heavily ruffled with rollback petals.
  - L. \$2.50, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.50.
- FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE: There are not sufficient adjectives to describe this lady. She has been winning Blue Ribbons at every show in the continent, and will replace every commercial white in the business. This one leads the list for the TOP 10 GLADS.
  - L. 25c, M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. 10 for 50c, Growers Unit 10M, 10S and 50 bbts. for \$5.00.
- FLORENTINE: A fine clean ruffled white, wide open florets, as clean a white as I grow.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, bbts. 10 for 25c.
- FRASER: Perhaps our finest ruffled salmon to date. A huge deep salmon, with deeper throat, and won several grand Champs this past season. A masterpiece.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.25, S. \$1.00, bbts. at 20c each.
- FREEDOM: A white with scarlet throat, from Carl Fischer.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c.
- FRIENDSHIP: A connisseur's ruffled pink, in a class by itself.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 10 for 50c.
- GOLD STANDARD: A deep yellow of good growth and fine placement.
  - L. 30c, M. 20c, S. 15c.
- GOLD CHEVRON: A ruffled and lacinized light yellow, especially fine for table decoration work.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for \$1.00.
- **GRACE DARLING:** An apple blossom pink, shading to lighter throat, tall, straight, takes heat and drouth, and still cuts 100%. Winner of several division champs this past season.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c., S. 50c, bbts. 10 for \$1.00.
- **GRAND OPENING:** One of the best show flowers in the lavenders, and can still open 12 and hold them. Wins wherever shown for most open.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c.
- **HEARTS DESIRE:** A beautiful heavily ruffled pink that for me has been good every year. A perfect exhibition and commercial.
  - L. 60c, M. 50c, S. 40c, bbts. 10 for 50c.
- **HEART O' GOLD:** A dandy little white, with gold throat. Early, and dainty, a connisseur's flower in every way.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- HI HO: Clear deep rosey salmon, shading to white throat. A fine show glad, from Dr. Knight.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 50c, S. 25c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- IVY: A glorified IVY ROBERTSON, that you will love. Creamy yellow with scarlet throat, early, ruffled, fine for exhibition or commercial.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- JANET LEE: Peach shading to deep cream throat. Heavily ruffled and fluted, rich color and beautiful form.
  - L. 75c, M. 50c, S. 35c.
- JINI MARIE: Still winning blues all over the country, and champion spikes in many shows. A grand ruffled salmon, with cream throat, on which is some geranium pink marks.
  - Lfl \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 50c.

- JOYCE BEVERLY: A grand medium ruffled pink, mostly the florets have 7 petals, rather than 6. A beautiful flower that has not had much distribution. Try it. L. 35c, M. 25c, S. 15c, bbts. 100 for \$2.00.
- JUNE ROSE: The finest early rose in the industry. Tall, straight perfect placing and facing, a tremendous improvement over Early Rose, and one you will eventually buy.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.25, S. 75c, bbts. at 20c each. Grower Units 3M and 15 bbts for \$5.00.
- **KATHY LEE:** A clear light yellow, heavily ruffled, very dainty and a fine cut flower. A Fairchild baby of real merit.
  - L. 75c, M. 50c, S. 35c.
- **KEEFER:** A bluish purple, a ribbon of color in the garden. Not a commercial, but a standout on the exhibition table.
  - L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, S. 75c, bbts, 10 for \$1.00.
- LAKESIDE ORANGE: A fine tall growing orange, with slight purple throat. A good commercial.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- LADY WAYNE: Harry Deams fine salmon pink, which has won blues all over the country.
  - L. 75c, M. 50c, S. 25c.
- LAVENDER LACE: A swell lavender from Carl Fischer, that is lighter than most lavenders, but very beautiful.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- LA VALLE: A huge cream, with throat marks, can open 10, and win champion spike in most any show.
  - L. \$2.50 M. \$2.00, S. \$1.50, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.
- **LEADING LIGHT:** A huge light cream, ruffled, beautiful, has been winning for the past 3 seasons. You will love it.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- LITTLE GOLD: Without a doubt the only gold colored miniature in commerce, and a perfect little beauty. You must add this to your miniature collection.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbs. 4 for 25c.
- MADELINE HEFTY: Another fine Ted Woods creation, in lavender, with deep rose at edges, and dark rose marking on the lip. Ruffled, heavy textured, AHA Medal winner in several shows last season.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00.
- MARGARET JEAN: Perhaps the finest orange to date. A grand deep ruffled orange, has won several championships this past season. Much in demand.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. at 20c each.
- MERRY MAID: A grand cerise pink, with white throat, ruffled and beautiful.
  - L. 75c, M. 50c, S. 30c, bbts. 4 for 20c.
- MISS MICHIGAN: A fine coral pink, with white throat, named for a former Michigan contender for the title of Miss America. A beauty.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- MISS CHICAGO: A unique rose shade, with yellow inverted crescent on lower petals. A perfectly beautiful glad in every way.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00.
- MOUNT BAKER: Flesh white, blushed with light lavender, slightly deeper in throat and at edges of petals. Very tall, straight and strong grower.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00.
- MYRTLE GRACE: An extremely early rose lavender, especially fine for early shows and commercial use.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.

- NANCY: A fine bright medium red of great substance, and heavy texture. A marvelous commercial.
  - L. 25c, M. 15c, S. 10c, bbts. 10 for 25c.
- **NELLIE LOU:** Another fine Lines creation, beautiful flesh pink, tall straight, grows 66" for me, and makes wonderful spikes.
  - L. \$2.50 M. \$2.00, S. \$1.50, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.
- NINETY GRAND: A salmon scarlet for me, sometimes coming Chinese red, and that is the way I like it. A fine clean healthy glad, proven healthy in Florida, cuts 100% and one of the finest commercials introduced last year.
  - Any size corm \$1.50, with bbts. at 15 for \$2.00.. Grower Unit 3M and 6 bbts. for \$5.00
- NOCTURNE: A deep purple from Carl Fischer, unusual, and clean and a fine addition to this weak class.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- **NOWET A ROSE:** Carl Fischer's best to date for my money. Champion spike at Big International Mid-West Show this past season, a fine purplish rose, that can win anywhere.
  - L. \$1.50, M. \$1.25, S. \$1.00, bbts. 20c.
- **OPECHEE:** A fine smokey from Harry Deam, smokey old rose, with carmine feather on lower florets. One of the 2 best smokeys in existence.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c.
- ORPHEUS: A most unusual glad. An orange and red combination of great beauty. L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 4 for 20c.
- **PACTOLUS:** One of the few good ones from Holland. Apricot cream with orange red blotch. Very striking and beautiful.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.
- **PEGGY FARRELL:** A grand white with fine cherry throat, that is perhaps the finest white with red throat in commerce. Makes a fine commercial or exhibition.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- **PERDITA:** Les Grout's fine orangy yellow with firecrackers in the throat.
  - L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, S. 75c, bbts. 2 for 25c.
- **PERSIAN RUG:** It will make you think of those vivid colors of the far east, with it's sultry deep rose coloring, and yellow throat. Nothing like it in the book. For you birds who want something different, here it is.
  - L. \$3.00, M. \$2.25, S. \$1.50, bbts. 25c each.
- **PEPPERMINT STICK:** A dandy for corsage and table arrangements, in white with pink fleckings, hence the name.
  - L. 75c, M. 50c, S. 35c, bbts 10 for 75c.
- PINK SATIN: A really glorified LOVELY LADY, taller, more ruffled, opens more, as fine a ruffled pink as grows.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.50, S. \$1.00, bbts. 20c each.
- PHANTOM BEAUTY: The finest low-priced blush pink in the book, and one that will thrill you. A masterpiece, for either exhibition or commercial.
  - L. 35c, M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. 100 for \$2.00.
- PHIPPS JR. A dandy early pink for you commercial growers who want them really early. Fine clear pink, cuts 100% and a go-getter for you early birds.
  - Any size corm 65c, bbts. 10 for 50c.
- **REGAL LADY:** Can win Most Beautiful Spike in any show. Wonderful ruffled pink, that can open 12.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- **REGAL RED:** A medium deep red, ruge in size, tall, straight with fine white throat lines.
  - L. 25c M. 20c, S. 2 for 30c, bbts. 20 for 25c.
- RED GOLD: A vivid signal scarlet red, grows tall, opens 7 in a brilliant color. L. \$1.00, M. 50c, S. 25c, bbts. 12 for \$1.

- ROBERT ALAN: The finest butter yellow in commerce as of today. Early, and a good cutter.
  - L. \$2.50, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.50, bbts, 25c each.
- ROSE PLUME: A very soft rose shade, similar to the old Jack Rose, very lovely. L. \$2.50 M. \$2.00, \$1.50, bbts. 15 for \$2.00.
- ROYAL FLUSH: Perhaps the most outstanding deep red ever introduced. A tall, straight, heavily ruffled, medium deep red, grows 66", with 30" flowerhead, carrying 22 to 24 buds. Certainly Barrett"s finest ever, and one you must have to win in that class. Limited stock but his year you may have bulblets.

Any size corm \$5.00, bbts. \$1.00.

- SIBONEY: A grand lavender, ruffled and pointed petaled, that will win for you. L. 75c, M. 50c, S. .25c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00.
- SKYROCKET: A brilliant, striking plush red, velvety in texture, tall, makes a real show.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- SKYWAY: Eary clear pink, with white throat. Tall straight, color something like Rosa Van Lima, but much finer.
  - L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, S. 50c, bbts. 15c.
- **SPARKLE:** A fine pinkish salmon, ruffled, straight, a fine clean commercial, which has made a fine show record.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for \$1.00.
- SPARKS: A tall straight yellow, with firecracker throat darts. Very striking and unusual.
  - L. 20c, M. 2 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c.
- **SPIC & SPAN:** As well known as any glad in commerce. A tall, straight salmon pink, ruffled, winner of scads of specials, and championships, and the perfect commercial. If you do not have it, by all means get it now.
  - L. 30c, M. 25c, S. 20c, bbts. 10 for 50c.
- **SPINDRIFT:** That tall, creamy white, which has won so many ribbons all over the nation. A fine exhibition flower.
  - L. 35c, M. 25c, S. 2 for 25c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00.
- STRATOSPHERE: Barretts fine ruffled, huge creamy white, that is still in the top bracket. Wins all over.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- STRAWBERRY PEACH: Large wide open ruffled bright orange peach with soft scarlet blotch. A very beautiful and unusual glad, which everyone liked.
  - L. 35c, M. 25c, S. 15c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00.
- STERLING: A new color break in glads. A phlox purple, with a rose feather in the throat. Ruffled, tall, blends well with yellows or whites, and a fine exhibition or commercial.
  - L. \$2.00, M. \$1.25, S. 75c, bbts. 20c.
- STORMY WEATHER: Still perhaps our finest smokey, blend of rose, with lavender and purple shading. Winner of many blues and some champion spikes.
  - L. \$1.00 M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- **SUNBEAM:** A perfect orange cutter, with yellow feather in throat, and is very early, always straight, and dependable.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 20c, bbts. 20 for \$1.00.
- SUNDAY BEST: A clear light lavender rose, blending to a deep cream throat, nice clean bright color, on good tall spikes, healthy, and an excellent commercial or exhibition. From the same hybridizer as ROSY FUTURE 1951 Introduction.
  - L. \$3.00, M. \$2.00, S. \$1.00, bbts. 25c each.
- SUPREME BEAUTY: Here is a sleeper if there ever was one. A grand ruffled salmon, with creamy yellow throat, that in my book is in the top 25 glads of all time. Try this and see if I am not right.
  - L. 25c, M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. 100 for \$1.00.

- TRI-COLOR: Almost a red, white and blue glad. Outer petals deep pansy violet, shading to ivory center, on which is placed two ruby throat marks. A most unique and bizarre novelty. Try it.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for \$1.00.
- **VELVET MANTLE:** A deep red, from Carl Fischer, grows 72" with a long flowerhead, good growth, and a fine glad.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. 10 for 50c.
- VIOLET DICKINSON: The perfect basket glad, beautifully ruffled white with purple throat darts. A really beautiful glad.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for 75c.
- **VOGUE:** A mauve Burma, in a huge ruffled flower, grows 55" and opens 8 with 7 in color. A vary fine glad from Lins.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 10 for \$1.00.
- WHITE CHALLENGE: A huge white, with slight reddish blush cast, and a red throat. Tall straight, fine substance, and has won Champion spike many times.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 20c, bbts. 25 for \$1.00.
- WHITE CHRISTMAS: Another huge ruffled white, that is well known, and can win championships.
  - L. 25c, M. 2 for 25c, S. 3 for 25c, bbts. 25 for 25c.
- WHITE GODDESS: A big ruffled white, tall, straight, clean grower with heavy ruffling.
  - L. 50c, M. 30c, S. 20c, bbts. 4 for 20c.
- WHITE MAGIC: A very dainty and striking ruffled white, which I saw in the champion spike class this year at two shows.
  - L. \$1.00, M. 75c, S. 50c, bbts. 25c.
- W. H. HOSMER: A nice rose lavender, with a large creamy white lip. Let this one get acclimated, and it will prove it's worth.
  - L. \$1.59, M. \$1.00, S. 60c, bbts. 25c.
- WILMA DITTMAN: Andy Maier's crowning achievement, in a beautiful clean buff, that grows 66", cuts well, opens and is perfectly healthy. A commercial and exhibition in one.
  - L. \$1.50, M. \$1.00, S. 75c, bbts. 10 for \$1.25.
- WORLDBEATER: A Holland glad, in a yellow, with rose throat. For me it is early, straight, a perfect cutter, and an all around good early yellow.
  - L. 35e, M. 25e, S. 15c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00
- **CREAM QUEEN:** One of the nicest things to come from Milton Jack. Holds 10 open easily, on a 58" stalk with a 26" flowerhead,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " slightly ruffled cream floret.
  - L. \$2.50, M. \$1.50, S. 90c, bbts, 12 for \$2.50.
- **ORCHID MARVEL:** A giant in the orchid class, about the color of Elizabeth The Queen, somewhat taller, and better stretch than Liz, and more of a shade of Cattleya Orchid.
  - L. 50c, M. 30c, S. 15c, bbts. 12 for 50c.
- SUNLIGHT: Beautiful light orange, ruffled, tall and straight, a grand commercial. L. 20c M. 15c, S. 3 for 15c, bbts. per pkt. 25c.
- **SUNSPOT:** One of the great glads of all time. Apricot buff with rose throat, and has perhaps won more championship spikes than any glad in commerce.
  - L. 35c, M. 25c, S. 3 for 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.
- STRAUSSENFEDER: (Means Ostrich Feather), a Pfitzer creation, in a huge heavily ruffled and needle pointed shrimp pink with geranium throat marks. Grows 66", opens 8 easily, a good commercial and exhibition.
  - L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 20c, bbts. per pkt. 25c.
- TIVOLI: A much improved Rosa Van Lima, in a finer shade of pink that is taller, brighter. A fine commercial.
  - L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c, bbts. per pkt. 25c.

**TROCADERO:** A carrot, orange salmon glad, which has also been overlooked. It can make a huge spike, in a most distinctive carrot color.

L. 35c, M. 25c, S. 3 for 20c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

WARD'S STRAIN OF BURMA: Here is a strain of BURMA that is different in everything except color. The color is the same but this selected strain opens 8 in the field, does not burn, ships and handles well, and for this reason, is worthy of special mention.

L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

W. R. READER: A swell big salmon, with white throat, that comes in early, blooms in about 65 days. Makes the finest corms you ever saw. Another good one for the early cut-flower market.

L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

**WEDGWOOD:** A very beautiful lavender, with cream throat, ruffled frilled, the prettiest miniature in its color.

L. 20c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 6 for 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

YELLOWBIRD: Our finest plain petalled golden yellow miniature, with no throat, just plain clear yellow. It wins every time in it's class.

L. 25c, M. 2 for 25c, S. 4 for 255c, bbts. per pkt. 25c.

BLONDIE: One of Lins' finest, in a beautiful 4" ruffled cream on 48" spikes, in Class 306, which does not have to depend on it's size to win. One of our finest basket glads. L. 50c, M. 35c, S. 20c, bbts. 10 for 50c.

TREASURE ISLAND: An exquisite ruffled and fluted pink, in the color of Rosa Van Lima, with extra good texture and one of our finest commercials.

L. 40c, M. 30c, S. 15c, bbts. 10 for 40c.

### GENERAL BULB LIST

ABIGAIL: A fine lavender commercial same color as Minuet, but good propagator.

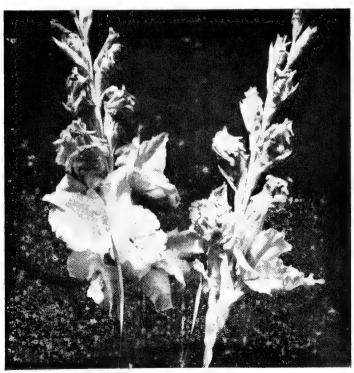
L. 15c, M. 10c, S. 4 for 25c, bbts. 25 for \$1.00.

ADORATION: Orchid pink, with creamy throat. Early and fine.

L. 25c, M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00.

ALGONQUIN: A tall, huge straight brilliant scarlet. One of the best of the oldies.

L. 3 for 25c, M. 4 for 25c, S. 10 for 25c, bbts. pkg. 25c.



NOVELTY QUEEN

ARCTIC SNOW: A glistening pure white, in the 300 class, that makes a fine commercial, and is early. Tall, straight, 100% cutter. Excellent in every way.

L. and M. 10 for 60c.

BURMA: That huge old rose, ruffled, and still winning champion spike in many shows. L. 10 for 75c, M. 10 for 50c, S. 10 for 25c, bbts. 25c. per pkg.

**CLOTH OF GOLD:** A fine golden colored commercial, which the florists seem to like very much.

L. 25c, M. 20c, S. 2 for 30c, bbts. 15 for \$1.00.

**DAISY MAE:** A great big orange, with purple throat, that is very tall, straight, and an excellent commercial.

L. 10c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c, bbts. 10 for 25c.

**DEBORAH SAMPSON:** A pink and buff combination, in a tall straight spike, with 22 buds.

L. 35c, M. 25c, S. 15c, bbts. 10 for 50c.

FIREBIRD: A brilliant scarlet, good for either commercial or basket work.

L. 25c, M. 2 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c.

FIREBRAND: Glistening medium shade of red that opens a ribbon of color. One that will stop you cold.

L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 6 for 25c, bbts. 25c per pkt.

**GAYLORE:** A regular workhorse in a pink with white throat, good for exhibition, but for the cut flower grower, it is TOPS.

L. and M. at 10 for 60c.

GOLDEN ARROW: Still my choice for best commercial yellow, and while not early, it is tops in the field.

L. 3 for 25c, M. 4 for 25c, S. 8 for 25c, bbts. 25c per pkt.

**GREAT LAKES:** One of the finest blues, tall, straight, good cutter, should be more widely grown.

L. and M. 10 for \$1.00.

HUNTRESS: Probably one of the finest rose lavenders in commerce.

L. 2 for 39c, M. 3 for 20c, S. 5 for 20c, bbts. 25c pkt.

IVY ROBERTSON: A tall growing, cream, with rose overcast, and has cerise throat marks. Has won tallest spike in show, with most open in many shows.

L. 4 for 25c, M. 6 for 25c, S. 10 for 25c.

LADY JANE: The finest cream commercial, well known.

L. 4 for 25c, M. 6 for 25c, S. 8 for 25c, bb5s. 25c. per pkt.

**LEADING LADY:** A creamy white, that is grown by the millions, and has been on every show table in the country.

L. 4 for 25c, M. 6 for 25c, S. 10 for 25c, bbts. 25c per pkt.

LIPSTICK: A blush pink, with cherry throat, one of the finest.

L. 3 for 25c, M. 5 for 25c, S. 8 for 25c, bbts. 25c per pkt.

LOVELY LADY: Still a grand ruffled pink, with white throat that stops the lady visitors in my garden.

L. 3 for 25c, M., 5 for 25c, S. 8 for 25c, bbts. 25c per pkt.

MISS WISCONSIN: A grand rose colored glad, which has been the standard rose for the past 5 or 6 years. Very fine.

L. 3 for 25c, M. 4 for 25c, S. 8 for 25c, bbts. 25c per pkt.

MONTPELIER: Clear pink, slightly lighter than Spic & Span. Very fine and will be grown by more, as it becomes better known.

L. 20c, M. 20c, S. 10c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

**ORANGE GOLD:** Clear beautiful medium orange gold color, opens 5 to 6 wide open blooms, on a good stalk.

L. 15c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c.

PANDORA: Beautiful clear soft geranium pink, with slightly darker lines in the throat. Opens 8 to 10, well placed florets, a great commercial. Very fine.

L. 2 for 25c, M. 4 for 25c.

POET'S DREAM: Cool ruffled lavender, with nice flowerhead, and opens 6, making it a fine commercial.

L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c.

PREVIEW: Tall, deep rose, very clean and clear color, in an entirely different color. L. 35c M. 20c. S. 10c.

RED CHARM: The standard medium red commercial. A wonderful color in a tall, straight spike, that is grown by every cut-flower grower, and still wins on the show table.

L. 3 for 25c, M. 4 for 25c, S. 8 for 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

RIMA: One of the most perfect blush pinks, with slight lavender overcast in the book. Really a beautiful thing, but not widely known. Try this and see if it has not been overlooked.

L. 2 for 25c, M. 3 for 25c, S. 4 for 25c.

**ROSETTE:** Light rose, with dark rose suffused center, in as fine a miniature as ever grown. Wins the blue every time in it's class.

L. 25c, M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. per pkt. 25c.

ROYAL ROBES: Perhaps the best black red in my planting. Has been overlooked, and will surprise you when you grow it.

L. 50c, M. 40c, S. 25c, bbts. 10 for 50c.

ROYAL WINDSOR: Huge light scarlet, ruffled and pointed, and one of the best we grow in it's color.

L. 25c M. 20c, S. 15c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

SILVERSIDES: A swell rosy red miniature, with a silvery edge on each petal. One of the finest miniatures.

L. 40c, M. 25c, S. 15c, bbts. per pkt. 25c.

SPOTLIGHT: A fine clear deep yellow, with scarlet throat, one of our finest commercial yellows.

L. 3 for 25c, M. 4 for 25c, S. 6 for 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

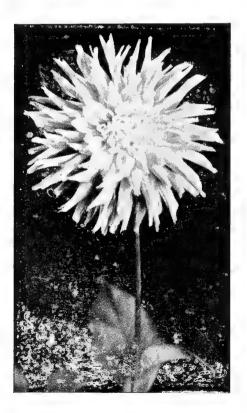
SUMMER SNOW: A fine clean white, in the 300 class, very white, tall, straight, a good commercial.

L. 25c, M. 2 for 25c, S. 3 for 25c, bbts. pkt. 25c.

### DAHLIA SECTION



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JINI MARIE

### GENERAL LIST OF DAHLIAS FOR 1951

- SAINT NICK: My 1951 introduction. A fine formal bi-color scarlet, tipped white. Grows normally 6x5 on nice long stems, the brightest thing in the garden. Especially fine for cutting, and I sell this one the easiest of all. Florists are crazy for it. Comes about 90% true bi-color. Grows 4½ to 5' tall, and you can cut 36" stems. Good Divisions at \$5.00 NET, Plants \$2.50 NET.
- I will have good plants of most of the 1951 introductions and solicit your inquiries for any of them, including many Australian and Holland importations.
- ADA-N: Huge I.D. deep purple, 1950 introduction, grows well anywhere, can be grown 12x6 easily. Roots \$7.50, Plants \$3.75.
- AMB. VAN KLEFFENS: Finest 1950 import from Holland. An autumn colored I.D. about 5x3, with grand stems, blooms it's head off, much in demand by florists. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.
- **ANNABELLE:** Medium autumn, S.C. with yellow center, grows tall, has loads of flowers, about 9x5, one of the best. Roots \$1.50, Plants 75c.
- BISHOP OF LLANDAFF: The only good dark foliage dahlia in commerce. Small, double row petals, scarlet with dark center. Very much in demand. Roots 50c.
- BARWAL QUEEN: The largest I.D. White dahlia in commerce. Early, huge size about 12x9, excellent growth, and a standout in exhibition dahlias. 1950 introduction. Roots \$10.00, Plants \$5.00
- CARDINAL: A huge cardinal red, S.C. of fine growth, size about 10x6, has won scads of prizes, and much in demand. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$2.50.
- CHUCKIE-D: A medium F.D. autumn, petals recurve to stem, with yellow cast. Very fine cutter size about 5x4. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- CHIME: A medium rust colored S.C. on good stems, size about 8x5, very fine grower, always good. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.
- CONQUEROR: A huge light yellow S.C. from Holland, exhibition, grows 11x7 easily, of good health. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.
- **D-DAY:** A grand F.D. pink, medium size, about 7x5, healthy, an excellent cutter. One you will love. Roots 50c.
- **DR. DEL MARR:** A huge light autumn I.D. grows to 12x6 easily on good stems, prolific bloomer, has won scads of prizes all over the country. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$2.50.
- **DAHLIAMUM:** A huge deep autumn I.D. which has been overlooked by many. Size about 11x7, with loads of flowers, stands heat, drouth well, one of the finest. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **DEEP VELVET:** Perhaps the darkest red dahlia in commerce. Size about 9x5 F.D. with good foliage, plenty of flowers, and always commands attention. A standout. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **ELODEE-K:** One of the most unusual dahlias in commerce. Shrimp pink with cream center, carnation-like flowers, on good stems. Size about 5x3, and much in demand. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **EXQUISITE:** The finest low-priced white in commerce. Size 10x7 I.D. has a slight orchid tint in center of flower. Fine cutter, and exhibition on good stems. Roots 50c.
- FIVE STAR GENERAL: Perhaps the largest pink formal in existence. Simply huge, with loads of flowers, grows easily 12x9 on strong plants. It will please you. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- FJINSTRAAL: A fine cactus from Holland. Orchid pink, on long stems, gets better each season. Size about 6x4. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.

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- **FUSCHIA GEM:** The brightest little S.C. we grow. A miniature dahlia of brilliant color, in a dubonnet color. Size about 3x2, and one you will always grow. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.
- **H.C.L. JACKSON:** A fine large white S.C. of good health, fine growth with loads of flowers. Size about 11x8. One one of the finest recent introductions. Roots \$7.550, Plants \$2.50.
- **IKE:** The finest cutting dahlia ever grown. A blood red I.D. about 4x3, on long stems, each plant will bear from 25 to 40 blooms per season. Florists use it in quantity and for cut flowers, it cannot be equalled. Roots 50c.
- **JINI MARIE:** Our 1950 introduction, a fine shrimp pink, S.C. almost straight cactus, with slight yellow cast toward center of flower. Size abou 7x5 blooms early and late. Roots \$3.50, Plants \$2.00.
- JUDY K: A fine yellow and autumn blend in a miniature dahlia, size about 5x4, with excellent stems. A real find for the cut flower grower. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **JIMMY G:** The best white miniature cutter in existence. Size about 5x3, sometimes called the miniature Michigan White. You will love it's long stems, and prolific flowering habits. Roots \$1.50, Plants 75c.
- **KING SIZE:** A brilliant red incurved cactus, of excellent habits and perhaps the finest 1949 introduction. Size about 10x6, with good stems. A knockout. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$2.50.
- **KIRSTEN FLAGSTAD:** A large autumn I.D. sometimes comes S.C. size about 10x7, with good stems, loads of flowers. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- L.C.K.: Easily the best autumn straight cactus miniature ever developed. Has won Flower Grower award, and many other prizes. Size about 5x4, and you will love it. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **LATAERE:** A brilliant scarlet with yellow tips S.C., one of the brightest things in the garden. Size about 7x5. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **LAKESIDE BEAUTY:** The introduction of this dahlia, marked a milestone in dahlia history. The best F.D. Pink ever introduced and florists pay \$1.50 per dozen for it readily. Size about 8x5. Excellent stems. Roots \$2.00, Plants 75c.
- MADONNA: A huge white I.D., 1950 introduction, that won more medals in 1949 than any other dahlia. Roots \$10.00, Plants \$5.00.
- MICHIGAN ORCHID: My 1948 introduction, a grand orchid pink S.C. of good habits, excellent cutter, best in it's color and much in demand. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **KATHY M:** A grand pink and yellow blend miniature, F.D. of fine habits, good cutter, one you will love. Size about 5x4. Roots \$1.50, Plants 75c.
- MRS. ED. DIEHL: A sort of rust colored, St. Cactus, on excellent stems, good cutter, a fine dahlia in every way. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- NANCY ANN MITCHELL: A grand fireman's red Inc. Cactus, of good habits, one of the brightest things in the garden. Size about 7x5 on good stems. You will thrill to it. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.
- **NICKY K:** A brillian scarlet red, with lacinated petals, and otherwise I.D. Size about 5x4, on excellent stems. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$1.50.
- NICK'S NO. 33: Without a doubt the best incurved cactus you ever saw. Bright yellow, on good stems, foliage is insect resistant, and you have never seen a better one. Roots \$5.00, Plants \$2.50.
- **OAKLEIGH CHAMPION:** A brilliant autumn I.C. with curling petals, pinkish yellow cast toward center of flower, and a grand dahlia in every way. Size about 9x6. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.
- **PEARL KENDRICK:** A perfect formal white, on excellent stems, hard textured flower, that stands up in any weather, best white for cutting. Size about 7x5. Roots \$1.50, Plants 75c.
- PRAIRIE SUN: A grand deep yellow F.D. of good habits, on excellent stems, size about 10x8, and will win anywhere. Roots \$3.50, Plants \$1.50.

PINK FLAMINGO: A dandy shrimp pink Cactus, size about 10x6, and marvellous color. Strong growth, good foliage, and all in all a grand dahlia. Roots \$1.50, Plants 75c.

ROSY DAWN: A medium ball type, autumn color, on good stems, size about 5x4, ex-

cellent for cutting. Roots 50c.

RED CHAMPION: A grand rose red, with yellow toward center. Simply huge, have grown it 14x9, and still good. Plants only \$1.50.

SHOW GIRL: A 1950 Holland import, fine petalled yellow cactus, on good stems. Size about 7x5. Very fine. Roots \$1.50, Plants 75c.

SULTAN: A brilliant fine petalled red St. Cactus. Holland import. A miniature King Size, on long stems. Very fine. Plants only \$1.00.

SKYROCKET: A huge fire-engine red, S.C. that stops the visitors cold. Size about 11x8, on good stems. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.

VELVET MARVEL: A deep blood red st. Cactus, of fine habits and growth. A 1950 Holland import, and a good one. Plants only \$1.00.

VIVIAN COPPENS: The prettiest shell pink inc. Cact. I grow. A Holland import, and size about 7x4, very fine. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.

WHITEHALL: A grand 1950 introduction, glistening white S.C. size about 10x8, on good stems. A grand dahlia. Roots \$7.50, Plants \$3.75.

SILVER GLAMOUR: S huge purple, with silvery edges, I.D. grows 12x9 easily. you like them big-here you are! Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.

900: A grand medium priced white I.D. of easy growth, and excellent habits. Size about 11x9. Roots \$1.00, Plants 50c.

ALBINO: The finest pure white Pom Pom dahlia we have grown. Very fine grower, with lots of flowers. Roots \$2.00, Plants \$1.00.

MORNING MIST: White with orchid tints, and a must have for the cut flower grower. Grand bedder, and splendid all around dahlia. Size about 3x2. Roots 50c.

SHERRY: The only dubonnet pom in existence, and one of the prettiest. You will love it's deep wine color, and loads of flowers. A must-have. Roots 50c.

We have other varieties, but we think this list covers the finest commercial dahlias we have ever grown. You cannot go wrong on any of them. Quantity orders are of course subject to special inquiry and wholesale prices will be quoted to accredited commercial growers, in line with the trade.



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